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Attorney Docket No. 7378/71304

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

App In No.: 09/395,805)
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Filed: September 14, 1999)
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Inventor: KINOSHITA et al.)
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Title: HEAT-SENSITIVE STENCIL SHEET)
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Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
ATTENTION: Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) of the above-identified application under 37 C.F.R. §1.114.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114:

a. Previously submitted:

- ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on July 26, 2001.
- ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on [Appeal Brief filed].
- ☐ Other:

b. Enclosed:

- ☐ Amendment/Reply
- ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- ☒ Other: Preliminary Response

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2. Additional Items:

- ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. §1.103(c) for a period of [No. of Months Suspension 1.103(c)] months. *(Period of suspension shall not exceed three months; fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i) required.)*
- ☒ A petition for extension of time is enclosed.
- ☒ A return receipt postcard is enclosed.
- ☐ Other:
- ☐ Applicant(s) assert entitlement to Small Entity Status.
- ☒ RCE Fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) without a claim of small entity status is: \$740.00.
- ☐ RCE Fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) by an entity claiming small entity status is: \$0.00.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ [Check Amount enclosed] is enclosed.
- ☒ Charge \$740.00 to Deposit Account No. 06-1135, under Order No. 7378/71304.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17 during its entire pendency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 06-1135, under Order No. 7378/71304. This sheet is filed in duplicate.

March 25, 2002

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